

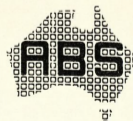


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MAIN FEATURES

- In 1983-84, 8 788 original claim industrial accidents were reported to the ABS. Compensation to be paid in respect of these accidents is estimated at \$12.2m and time lost at 21 800 weeks.
- Fifty per cent of reported accidents involved time losses of less than one week.
- In 1983-84, 9 fatal accidents were reported; 8 of these involved males.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

The statistics in this bulletin have been compiled from reports of workers' compensation claims for accidents occurring during 1983-84. Prior to 1977-78 statistics were compiled on a 'cases finalised' basis. Figures prior to 1977-78 are therefore not strictly comparable with later years. The reports are submitted by insurance companies, self-insurers and State Government departments.

2. Close liaison has been established by the ABS with insurers for the purpose of achieving and maintaining coverage and accuracy in the collection and co-operation has generally been good. Under present arrangements, however, there is no effective way of checking to ensure that reports are received for all claims coming within the scope of the collection. Caution should therefore be used in drawing any conclusions regarding the trend in the statistics over time. The principal value of the statistics lies in the detailed analysis which has been carried out to show accidents classified by industry group, occupation group, agency of accident, type of accident, nature of injury, site of injury, month of occurrence, age group and duration of time lost.

3. For 1983-84 the statistics represent industrial accidents reported by insurers as occurring during the financial year. Reports are received until 31 October at which time insurers estimate time lost and compensation to be paid for any outstanding accidents which occurred in the financial year.

4. Prior to 1977-78 reports were tabulated on the basis of claims finalised in a particular financial year by insurers. This differed from the 1977-78 and later years' collections in the following ways:

- (a) accidents may have occurred in the year in which the claim was finalised or during some earlier year;
- (b) the methods used by insurers for determining when claims are finalised vary greatly;
- (c) in many instances there existed a considerable time-lag between the finalisation of claims and the completion of reports.

5. The statistics relate to persons covered under the Tasmanian Workers' Compensation Act 1927, plus state police officers. Notable exclusions are self-employed persons and all Australian Government employees. Exclusion of self-employed persons is likely to have a marked effect on figures for industries where self-employment is prevalent (e.g. retail trade, rural industries). Because of the exclusion of Australian Government employees, some industry classifications are not covered at all (e.g. defence services and communications), while coverage is reduced in other industries.

6. While every effort has been made to make this bulletin as comprehensive as possible resources do not permit the publication of all the information that is available. In particular, details are readily available by sex for those tables for which persons only are shown in this bulletin. A more detailed industry split is also available.

7. The tables in this bulletin cover industrial accidents involving original claims only. During 1983-84 144 industrial accident returns involving re-opened claims were received by the ABS. These 144 claims involved an estimated additional cost of \$385 556.

Definitions

8. For the purpose of this collection the following definitions have been adopted:

Agency of accident: Is the object, substance or circumstance most closely associated with the injury and which in general could have been guarded against or corrected. A distinction should be made between the agency of injury and agency of accident, e.g. a fire damp explosion and a miner crushed by a falling beam. Agency of injury is the beam but the agency of accident is the material responsible for the fire damp explosion. Agency of accident is classified according to Agency of Accident Classification.

Cost of claims: Includes compensation for wages lost and for hospital and medical expenses; and also lump sum settlements of cases reported as occurring during the year. Where final details are not available insurers are asked to provide estimates. This is most likely to occur in those cases involving fatalities or serious injuries. Care must be taken before drawing conclusions based on variations in cost of claims patterns.

Duration of leave: The period of time between the date ceased work due to the accident and the date resumed or declared fit to resume work. (In the case where several periods of absence occur it is the sum of those periods.) It is not paid days off. It may include weekends, etc. An injured party may not necessarily be prevented from working in a second job during this period. It does not necessarily reflect the time an employee is away from the specific job in which the accident occurred; for example he may have returned to work on light duties.

Industrial accident: A compensatable claim under the Workers' Compensation Act 1927 that arises out of a work related event and leads to a loss of time of one day (shift) or more (not including the day of the accident), permanent total incapacity, or death, and involves a claim for payment, under the Workers' Compensation Act 1927. Note if the claim is a re-opened claim then additional time-off may or may not be involved. Normally it will be. Industrial accidents include industrial disease cases.

Industry: Classified in accordance with the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) 1978 Edition. From 1971-72 to 1978-79 the Preliminary Edition 1969 of ASIC was used. Earlier years used the 1966 Population Census Classification of Industries.

Occupation: Classified in accordance with the 1981 Population Census Classification of Occupation.

Original claim: Cases which involve the first claim against the insurer for compensation for an industrial accident or industrial disease case.

Re-opened claim: Cases previously closed in which the insurer accepts that further incapacity or additional medical treatment, etc. are directly attributed to the original accident.

Type of accident: Is defined by the International Labour Office as: (i) the manner of contact of the injured person with the object or substance; or (ii) the exposure or movement of the injured person which resulted in the injury. In some cases the choice between (i) and (ii) may give rise to conflict e.g. worker falls from ladder and grabs a hot pipe to prevent the fall. According to (i) the type of accident would be contact with hot substance or object; to (ii) type of accident would be fall from height. In such situations the type of accident is selected according to which event caused the more severe injury.

9. More details of industry and occupation classifications may be made available on application to the ABS.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS

Workers' Compensation Statistics, New South Wales (6301.1), annual.

Industrial Accidents, Victoria (6301.2), annual.

Industrial Accident Statistics, Queensland (6301.3), annual.

Industrial Accidents, South Australia (6301.4), annual.

Industrial Accidents, Western Australia (6301.5), annual.

10. Further information about Tasmanian Office ABS publications is included in the Catalogue of Publications, Tasmanian Office (1103.6). All publications produced by the ABS are listed in the annual Catalogue of Publications (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS Office.

SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

11. The following standard symbols are used in publications of the Tasmanian Office of the ABS:

ASIC	Australian Standard Industrial Classification
M	males; F females; P persons
n.a.	not available
n.e.c.	not elsewhere classified
n.e.i.	not elsewhere included
n.p.	not available for separate publication but included in totals where applicable
..	not applicable
-	nil or less than half the unit shown

Values are shown in Australian currency.

12. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1983-84

Males

Industry	Number of accidents by extent of disability				Total number of accidents	Time lost (a)		Cost of claims		
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death		Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non-fatal accident (\$)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	744	9	3	3	759	15,302		201,338,042	151,147	1,770
Mining.....	863	7	-	2	872	16,213		191,506,226	n.p.	1,731
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	382	4	2	-	388	5,442	14	471,248	-	1,215
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	428	8	-	1	437	11,491	26	767,175	n.p.	1,760
-non-metallic mineral products.....	71	1	-	-	72	1,116	16	89,435	-	1,242
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	684	4	2	-	690	8,834	13	753,675	-	1,092
-transport equipment..	65	1	-	-	66	781	12	62,600	-	948
-miscellaneous.....	457	7	-	-	464	7,486	16	528,217	-	1,138
Electricity, gas and water.....	694	2	-	-	696	12,362	18	744,459	-	1,070
Construction.....	739	9	1	1	750	13,324	18	1,001,288	n.p.	1,337
Wholesale and retail trade.....	716	6	1	1	724	10,246	14	830,188	n.p.	1,148
Transport, storage and communication.....	437	2	1	-	440	9,698	22	863,301	-	1,962
Finance, property and business services.....	34	1	-	-	35	488	14	33,561	-	959
Public administration and defence.....	363	-	1	-	364	4,569	13	325,351	-	894
Community services.....	500	1	3	-	504	8,009	16	715,871	-	1,420
Recreation, personal and other services.....	240	1	-	-	241	4,449	18	295,319	-	1,225
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	7,417	63	14	8	7,502	129,810	17	10,325,956	n.p.	1,378

See footnote at end of table

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1983-84-Continued

Females

Industry	Number of accidents by extent of disability				Total number of accidents	Time lost (a)		Cost of claims		
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death		Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non-fatal accident (\$)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	44	-	-	-	44	1,066	24	45,382	-	1,031
Mining.....	5	-	-	-	5	35	7	2,716	-	543
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	56	-	-	-	56	674	12	27,319	-	488
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	6	-	-	-	6	177	30	3,962	-	660
-non-metallic mineral products.....	1	-	-	-	1	11	11	800	-	800
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	2	1	-	-	3	244	81	7,887	-	2,629
-transport equipment..	4	-	-	-	4	60	15	2,114	-	529
-miscellaneous.....	109	1	-	-	110	1,907	17	159,614	-	1,451
Electricity, gas and water.....	12	-	-	-	12	173	14	9,340	-	778
Construction.....	13	-	-	-	13	348	27	14,204	-	1,093
Wholesale and retail trade.....	197	1	1	-	199	2,801	14	231,915	-	1,165
Transport, storage and communication.....	7	-	-	-	7	104	15	7,339	-	1,048
Finance, property and business services.....	35	-	-	-	35	664	19	44,241	-	1,264
Public administration and defence.....	36	-	-	-	36	411	11	24,051	-	668
Community services.....	587	1	3	1	592	10,836	18	707,585	n.p.	1,197
Recreation, personal and other services.....	163	-	-	-	163	3,599	22	179,534	-	1,101
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	1,277	4	4	1	1,286	23,110	18	1,468,003	n.p.	1,142

See footnote at end of table

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1983-84-Continued

Industry	Number of accidents by extent of disability				Total number of accidents	Time lost (a)		Cost of claims		
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death		Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non-fatal accident (\$)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	788	9	3	3	803	16,368	21	1,383,424	151,147	1,729
Mining.....	868	7	-	2	877	16,248	19	1,508,942	n.p.	1,725
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	438	4	2	-	444	6,116	14	498,567	-	1,123
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	434	8	-	1	443	11,668	26	771,137	n.p.	1,745
-non-metallic mineral products.....	72	1	-	-	73	1,127	15	90,235	-	1,236
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	686	5	2	-	693	9,078	13	761,562	-	1,099
-transport equipment..	69	1	-	-	70	841	12	64,714	-	924
-miscellaneous.....	566	8	-	-	574	9,393	16	687,831	-	1,198
Electricity, gas and water.....	706	2	-	-	708	12,535	18	753,799	-	1,065
Construction.....	752	9	1	1	763	13,672	18	1,015,492	n.p.	1,333
Wholesale and retail trade.....	913	7	2	1	923	13,047	14	1,062,103	n.p.	1,152
Transport, storage and communication.....	444	2	1	-	447	9,802	22	870,640	-	1,948
Finance, property and business services.....	69	1	-	-	70	1,152	16	77,802	-	1,111
Public administration and defence.....	399	-	1	-	400	4,980	12	349,402	-	874
Community services.....	1,087	2	6	1	1,096	18,845	17	1,423,456	n.p.	1,300
Recreation, personal and other services.....	403	1	-	-	404	8,048	20	474,853	-	1,175
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	8,694	67	18	9	8,788	152,920	17	11,793,959	417,904	1,343

(a) Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 2 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	111	-	115	-	156	-	170	-	166	3	58	-	24	-	800	3
Mining.....	177	-	85	1	197	-	214	1	170	-	6	-	26	-	875	2
Manufacturing of																
-food, beverages and tobacco	38	-	36	-	105	-	148	-	68	-	32	-	17	-	444	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	74	-	39	-	77	-	179	1	60	-	1	-	12	-	442	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	6	-	8	-	18	-	29	-	9	-	-	-	3	-	73	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	61	-	70	-	236	-	209	-	81	-	5	-	31	-	693	-
-transport equipment.....	9	-	9	-	17	-	27	-	2	-	1	-	5	-	70	-
-miscellaneous.....	113	-	53	-	120	-	185	-	77	-	5	-	21	-	574	-
Electricity, gas and water....	41	-	73	-	185	-	227	-	143	-	17	-	22	-	708	-
Construction.....	61	-	77	1	254	-	246	-	91	-	5	-	28	-	762	1
Wholesale and retail trade....	65	-	116	-	252	-	322	-	112	-	30	-	25	1	922	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	21	-	145	-	81	-	129	-	48	-	6	-	17	-	447	-
Finance, property and business services.....	2	-	10	-	19	-	15	-	19	-	3	-	2	-	70	-
Public administration and defence.....	34	-	58	-	86	-	108	-	85	-	11	-	18	-	400	-
Community services.....	50	-	135	1	207	-	183	-	204	-	232	-	84	-	1,095	1
Recreation, personal and other services.....	24	-	37	-	92	-	108	-	79	-	46	-	18	-	404	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	887	-	1,066	3	12,102	-	12,499	2	11,414	3	458	-	353	1	18,779	9

TABLE 3 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	168	-	58	3	288	-	54	-	164	-	10	-
Mining.....	170	-	126	-	235	-	60	-	197	-	23	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco	83	-	17	-	148	-	28	-	119	-	23	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	79	-	54	1	153	-	44	-	98	-	2	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	15	-	5	-	19	-	9	-	22	-	1	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	93	-	55	-	199	-	61	-	187	-	47	-
-transport equipment.....	8	-	4	-	20	-	8	-	21	-	1	-
-miscellaneous.....	98	-	31	-	161	-	49	-	175	-	15	-
Electricity, gas and water....	166	-	58	-	195	-	34	-	170	-	12	-
Construction.....	130	-	66	-	240	-	45	-	229	-	13	-
Wholesale and retail trade....	153	-	78	-	313	-	65	-	237	1	18	-
Transport, storage and communication.....	105	-	25	-	94	-	35	-	143	-	9	-
Finance, property and business services.....	25	-	2	-	11	-	3	-	20	-	1	-
Public administration and defence.....	96	-	18	-	112	-	18	-	118	-	2	-
Community services.....	246	-	39	-	219	-	23	-	449	-	30	-
Recreation, personal and other services.....	103	-	21	-	116	-	6	-	95	-	24	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	1,738	-	657	4	2,523	-	542	-	2,444	1	231	-

TABLE 3 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	-	-	18	-	-	-	40	-	800	3
Mining.....	1	-	39	1	2	-	22	1	875	2
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco	-	-	13	-	2	-	11	-	444	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	-	-	4	-	-	-	8	-	442	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	73	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	1	-	28	-	1	-	21	-	693	-
-transport equipment.....	1	-	5	-	-	-	2	-	70	-
-miscellaneous.....	1	-	19	-	1	-	24	-	574	-
Electricity, gas and water....	3	-	26	-	-	-	44	-	708	-
Construction.....	1	-	16	-	-	-	22	1	762	1
Wholesale and retail trade....	-	-	14	-	3	-	41	-	922	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	-	-	9	-	2	-	25	-	447	-
Finance, property and business services.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	7	-	70	-
Public administration and defence.....	-	-	7	-	-	-	29	-	400	-
Community services.....	2	-	19	-	-	-	68	1	1,095	1
Recreation, personal and other services.....	-	-	11	-	1	-	27	-	404	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	10	-	229	1	12	-	393	3	8,779	9

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84

Industry	Persons											
	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result											
	Fracture		Dislocation		Sprains & strains		Concussion and other intracranial injury		Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis		Open wound	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	88	-	9	-	248	-	4	-	8	-	191	-
Mining.....	35	-	2	-	325	-	4	-	2	-	123	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	12	-	6	-	159	-	1	-	-	-	133	-
-wood, wood products and furniture....	35	-	-	-	147	-	2	-	3	-	93	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	8	-	-	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	27	-	5	-	278	-	1	-	4	-	106	-
-transport equipment.....	4	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	17	-
-miscellaneous.....	24	-	1	-	235	-	2	-	4	-	103	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	37	-	1	-	302	-	3	-	4	-	115	-
Construction.....	61	-	12	-	282	-	3	-	5	-	148	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	63	-	8	-	327	-	4	-	12	-	257	-
Transport, storage and communication....	28	-	2	-	204	-	1	-	4	-	50	-
Finance, property and business services.	4	-	3	-	34	-	1	-	1	-	4	-
Public administration and defence.....	17	-	2	-	190	-	3	-	1	-	67	-
Community services.....	51	-	16	-	589	-	6	-	7	-	118	-
Recreation, personal and other services.	33	-	7	-	155	-	3	-	3	-	85	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	527	-	74	-	3,531	-	38	-	58	-	1,621	-

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result											
	Superficial injury		Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury		Burns		Poisonings		Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions		Asphyxia	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	48	-	151	-	18	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Mining.....	79	-	222	-	47	-	13	1	1	-	-	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	10	-	75	-	28	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
-wood, wood products and furniture....	33	-	121	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	4	-	13	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	65	-	127	-	71	-	2	-	-	-	1	-
-transport equipment.....	9	-	9	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-miscellaneous.....	52	-	103	-	27	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	52	-	143	-	31	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Construction.....	67	-	142	-	28	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	50	-	153	-	29	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Transport, storage and communication....	22	-	112	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finance, property and business services.	1	-	12	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Public administration and defence.....	33	-	72	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Community services.....	39	-	193	-	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recreation, personal and other services.	15	-	55	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	579	-	1,703	-	381	-	37	1	4	-	1	-

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons											
Industry	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result								Total disease cases		
	Effects of electric current		Multiple injuries		Other and unspecified injuries		All injuries				
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	-	-	6	3	-	-	777	3	23	-	
Mining.....	1	-	2	1	1	-	857	2	18	-	
Manufacturing of											
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	-	-	3	-	-	-	430	-	14	-	
-wood, wood products and furniture....	-	-	1	1	-	-	438	1	4	-	
-non-metallic mineral products.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	73	-	-	-	
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	688	-	5	-	
-transport equipment.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	-	5	-	
-miscellaneous.....	-	-	2	-	3	-	559	-	15	-	
Electricity, gas and water.....	1	-	3	-	2	-	698	-	10	-	
Construction.....	-	-	3	1	-	-	753	1	9	-	
Wholesale and retail trade.....	-	-	4	-	-	-	910	-	12	1	
Transport, storage and communication....	-	-	2	-	-	-	443	-	4	-	
Finance, property and business services.	-	-	2	-	-	-	65	-	5	-	
Public administration and defence.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	393	-	7	-	
Community services.....	2	-	2	1	1	-	1,065	1	30	-	
Recreation, personal and other services.	-	-	5	-	-	-	389	-	15	-	
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All industries.....	5	-	37	7	7	-	8,603	8	176	1	

TABLE 5 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84

Industry	Persons															
	Number of accidents by site of injury by result															
	Head		Neck		Trunk		Upper limbs		Lower limbs		Multiple locations		General locations		Total accidents	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	96	-	15	-	168	-	276	-	228	-	15	3	2	-	800	3
Mining.....	120	-	27	-	193	-	286	-	224	-	11	1	14	1	875	2
Manufacturing of																
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	21	-	9	-	110	-	222	-	72	-	8	-	2	-	444	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	37	-	6	-	100	-	179	-	116	-	4	1	-	-	442	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	3	-	3	-	16	-	29	-	20	-	2	-	-	-	73	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	106	-	23	-	163	-	230	-	164	-	3	-	4	-	693	-
-transport equipment..	17	-	2	-	10	-	30	-	10	-	1	-	-	-	70	-
-miscellaneous.....	65	-	20	-	143	-	217	-	111	-	11	-	7	-	574	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	97	-	17	-	176	-	237	-	168	-	8	-	5	-	708	-
Construction.....	91	-	19	-	195	-	266	-	175	-	15	1	1	-	762	1
Wholesale and retail trade.....	69	-	29	-	212	-	410	-	189	-	11	-	2	1	922	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	44	-	17	-	143	-	114	-	114	-	15	-	-	-	447	-
Finance, property and business services.....	6	-	6	-	19	-	14	-	20	-	4	-	1	-	70	-
Public administration and defence.....	47	-	9	-	95	-	123	-	120	-	5	-	1	-	400	-
Community services.....	70	-	45	-	378	-	311	-	244	-	44	1	3	-	1,095	1
Recreation, personal and other services.....	32	-	11	-	81	-	159	-	105	-	16	-	-	-	404	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	921	-	258	-	12,202	-	13,103	-	12,080	-	173	7	42	-	218,779	9

TABLE 6 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by occurrence by result											
	During meal break or other work break		Road traffic accident in course of employment		Other (arising out of or in course of employment)		Away from work during recess period		Travelling to or from work or other prescribed journey		Total accidents	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	6	-	10	-	766	3	1	-	17	-	800	3
Mining.....	7	-	6	-	844	1	2	-	16	1	875	2
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco	2	-	3	-	430	-	-	-	9	-	444	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	3	-	1	-	430	1	-	-	8	-	442	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	3	-	-	-	68	-	-	-	2	-	73	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	2	-	-	-	662	-	4	-	25	-	693	-
-transport equipment.....	-	-	1	-	68	-	-	-	1	-	70	-
-miscellaneous.....	4	-	2	-	537	-	2	-	29	-	574	-
Electricity, gas and water....	6	-	3	-	657	-	-	-	42	-	708	-
Construction.....	5	-	6	-	730	-	1	-	20	1	762	1
Wholesale and retail trade....	8	-	9	-	863	-	2	1	40	-	922	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	1	-	10	-	418	-	-	-	18	-	447	-
Finance, property and business services.....	1	-	1	-	60	-	-	-	8	-	70	-
Public administration and defence.....	4	-	3	-	373	-	1	-	19	-	400	-
Community services.....	10	-	17	-	991	-	3	-	74	1	1,095	1
Recreation, personal and other services.....	1	-	3	-	373	-	1	-	26	-	404	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	63	-	75	-	8,270	5	17	1	354	3	8,779	9

TABLE 7 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by month of occurrence by result											
	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	71	-	58	-	68	1	56	-	69	-	60	-
Mining.....	59	-	59	-	55	1	90	-	77	1	96	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	43	-	51	-	34	-	38	-	35	-	28	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	42	-	61	-	42	-	47	-	48	-	21	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	7	-	10	-	8	-	7	-	5	-	3	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	98	-	59	-	47	-	64	-	55	-	31	-
-transport equipment..	8	-	10	-	6	-	9	-	9	-	4	-
-miscellaneous.....	71	-	65	-	51	-	52	-	51	-	32	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	77	-	86	-	62	-	55	-	34	-	46	-
Construction.....	58	-	74	-	61	-	66	-	68	-	42	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	87	-	87	-	85	-	79	-	76	-	73	-
Transport, storage and communication.....	50	-	38	-	42	-	46	-	42	-	38	-
Finance, property and business services.....	5	-	8	-	5	-	6	-	6	-	4	-
Public administration and defence.....	35	-	36	-	36	-	32	-	47	-	34	-
Community services.....	98	-	124	-	90	1	103	-	104	-	71	-
Recreation, personal and other services.....	31	-	39	-	17	-	27	-	28	-	30	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	840	-	865	-	709	3	777	-	754	1	613	-

TABLE 7 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP
BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by month of occurrence by result													
	January		February		March		April		May		June		Total accidents	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	45	-	64	-	94	-	82	2	76	-	57	-	800	3
Mining.....	70	-	71	-	90	-	47	-	88	-	73	-	875	2
Manufacturing of														
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	22	-	44	-	48	-	34	-	42	-	25	-	444	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	12	-	48	-	48	-	22	-	30	1	21	-	442	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	1	-	4	-	7	-	8	-	7	-	6	-	73	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	50	-	59	-	78	-	50	-	48	-	54	-	693	-
-transport equipment..	2	-	8	-	4	-	3	-	4	-	3	-	70	-
-miscellaneous.....	36	-	54	-	41	-	26	-	56	-	39	-	574	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	43	-	59	-	69	-	41	-	79	-	57	-	708	-
Construction.....	49	-	84	-	61	-	59	-	90	1	50	-	762	1
Wholesale and retail trade.....	67	-	67	-	94	-	64	-	89	1	54	-	922	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	28	-	31	-	48	-	29	-	30	-	25	-	447	-
Finance, property and business services.....	6	-	4	-	7	-	5	-	12	-	2	-	70	-
Public administration and defence.....	21	-	27	-	44	-	33	-	32	-	23	-	400	-
Community services.....	76	-	104	-	90	-	79	-	89	-	67	-	1,095	1
Recreation, personal and other services.....	39	-	36	-	40	-	41	-	38	-	38	-	404	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	567	-	764	-	863	-	623	2	810	3	594	-	8,779	9

TABLE 8 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT
BY SEX BY RESULT AND TIME LOST 1983-84

Agency of accident	Males			Females			Persons		
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)
Machinery.....	814	-	15,118	73	-	1,517	887	-	16,635
Lifting equipment and means of transport.....	904	2	23,162	162	1	2,485	1,066	3	25,647
Other equipment.....	1,837	-	24,626	265	-	4,008	2,102	-	28,634
Chemicals and other materials and substances..	2,257	2	37,130	242	-	4,395	2,499	2	41,525
Working environment.....	1,145	3	20,897	269	-	5,794	1,414	3	26,691
Other agency, nec.....	265	-	3,601	193	-	3,399	458	-	7,000
Agency not identified.....	272	1	5,276	81	-	1,512	353	1	6,788
All agencies.....	7,494	8	129,810	1,285	1	23,110	8,779	9	152,920

(a) Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 9 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT
BY SEX BY RESULT AND TIME LOST 1983-84

Type of accident	Males			Females			Persons		
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (a) (days)
Fall of a person.....	1,411	-	29,573	327	-	7,162	1,738	-	36,735
Falling object or substance.	600	4	10,693	57	-	469	657	4	11,162
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	2,266	-	28,093	257	-	2,544	2,523	-	30,637
Caught in or between object(s).....	504	-	9,268	38	-	533	542	-	9,801
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	2,002	1	37,841	442	-	9,870	2,444	1	47,711
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	189	-	2,600	42	-	555	231	-	3,155
Contact with electric current.....	9	-	47	1	-	1	10	-	48
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	208	1	1,901	21	-	351	229	1	2,252
Explosion and implosion.....	11	-	71	1	-	6	12	-	77
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	294	2	9,723	99	1	1,619	393	3	11,342
All accident types....	7,494	8	129,810	1,285	1	23,110	8,779	9	152,920

(a) Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Males

Type of accident	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	43	-	216	-	175	-	73	-	869	-	25	-	10	-	1,411	-
Falling object or substance...	44	-	41	-	87	-	345	1	80	3	2	-	1	-	600	4
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	375	-	175	-	863	-	604	-	133	-	91	-	25	-	12,266	-
Caught in or between object(s)	164	-	93	-	85	-	133	-	13	-	9	-	7	-	504	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	153	-	142	-	440	-	933	-	37	-	83	-	214	-	12,002	1
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	24	-	6	-	99	-	59	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	189	-
Contact with electric current.	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	3	-	-	-	76	-	100	1	8	-	12	-	9	-	208	1
Explosion and implosion.....	1	-	-	-	2	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	7	-	231	2	1	-	2	-	5	-	43	-	5	-	294	2
All accident types.....	814	-	904	2	1,837	-	12,257	2	1,145	3	265	-	272	-	17,494	8

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Females

Type of accident	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, not identified		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	3	-	13	-	31	-	5	-	258	-	15	-	2	-	327	-
Falling object or substance...	3	-	-	-	22	-	29	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	57	-
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	32	-	30	-	115	-	44	-	8	-	26	-	2	-	257	-
Caught in or between object(s)	13	-	10	-	12	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	13	-	16	-	75	-	118	-	3	-	142	-	75	-	442	-
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	9	-	-	-	8	-	24	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	42	-
Contact with electric current.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	18	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	21	-
Explosion and implosion.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	-	-	93	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	99	1
All accident types.....	73	-	162	1	265	-	242	-	269	-	193	-	81	-	1,285	1

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Type of accident	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	46	-	229	-	206	-	78	-	1,127	-	40	-	12	-	1,738	-
Falling object or substance...	47	-	41	-	109	-	374	1	80	3	5	-	1	-	657	4
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	407	-	205	-	978	-	648	-	141	-	117	-	27	-	2,523	-
Caught in or between object(s)	177	-	103	-	97	-	136	-	13	-	9	-	7	-	542	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	166	-	158	-	515	-	1,051	-	40	-	225	-	289	-	2,444	1
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	33	-	6	-	107	-	83	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	231	-
Contact with electric current.	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	3	-	-	-	77	-	118	1	8	-	13	-	10	-	229	1
Explosion and implosion.....	1	-	-	-	2	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	7	-	324	3	1	-	2	-	5	-	48	-	6	-	393	3
All accident types.....	887	-	1,066	3	2,102	-	2,499	2	1,414	3	458	-	353	1	8,779	9

TABLE 11 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury												
Fracture.....	170	-	95	-	138	-	68	-	11	-	-	-
Dislocation.....	27	-	-	-	6	-	2	-	33	-	-	-
Sprains & strains.....	947	-	55	-	134	-	34	-	2,236	-	-	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	12	-	6	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	5	-	-	-	4	-	2	-	46	-	-	-
Open wound.....	97	-	105	-	1,193	-	171	-	1	-	-	-
Superficial injury.....	24	-	40	-	471	-	8	-	-	-	2	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	433	-	352	-	542	-	255	-	30	-	1	-
Burns.....	10	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	226	-
Poisonings.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effects of electric current.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multiple injuries.....	8	-	2	4	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
All injuries.....	1,733	-	656	4	2,508	-	541	-	2,358	-	230	-
Disease cases												
Total disease cases...	5	-	1	-	15	-	1	-	86	1	1	-

TABLE 11 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury										
Fracture.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	44	-	527	-
Dislocation.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	74	-
Sprains & strains.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	125	-	3,531	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	38	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	58	-
Open wound.....	-	-	1	-	2	-	51	-	1,621	-
Superficial injury.....	-	-	1	-	2	-	31	-	579	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	89	-	1,703	-
Burns.....	4	-	133	-	5	-	1	-	381	-
Poisonings.....	-	-	28	1	-	-	9	-	37	1
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	4	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Effects of electric current.	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Multiple injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	3	37	7
Other and unspecified injuries.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	7	-
All injuries.....	10	-	164	1	12	-	391	3	8,603	8
Disease cases										
Total disease cases....	-	-	65	-	-	-	2	-	176	1

TABLE 12 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by site of injury by result							
	Head		Neck		Trunk		Upper limbs	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury								
Fracture.....	32	-	1	-	67	-	255	-
Dislocation.....	-	-	8	-	32	-	24	-
Sprains & strains.....	-	-	230	-	1,770	-	650	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	58	-	-	-
Open wound.....	160	-	2	-	10	-	1,208	-
Superficial injury.....	427	-	-	-	3	-	85	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	85	-	12	-	242	-	622	-
Burns.....	145	-	3	-	10	-	130	-
Poisonings.....	4	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effects of electric current..	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Multiple injuries.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All injuries.....	894	-	256	-	2,192	-	2,983	-
Disease cases								
Total disease cases....	27	-	2	-	10	-	120	-

TABLE 12 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by site of injury by result							
	Lower limbs		Multiple locations		General locations		Total accidents	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury								
Fracture.....	168	-	4	-	-	-	527	-
Dislocation.....	10	-	-	-	-	-	74	-
Sprains & strains.....	859	-	22	-	-	-	3,531	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	-
Open wound.....	221	-	20	-	-	-	1,621	-
Superficial injury.....	51	-	13	-	-	-	579	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	677	-	65	-	-	-	1,703	-
Burns.....	82	-	10	-	1	-	381	-
Poisonings.....	1	-	-	-	25	1	37	1
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	2	-	4	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Effects of electric current.	1	-	-	-	3	-	5	-
Multiple injuries.....	1	-	34	7	-	-	37	7
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	1	-	6	-	7	-
All injuries.....	2,071	-	169	7	38	1	8,603	8
Disease cases								
Total disease cases....	9	-	4	-	4	1	176	1

TABLE 13 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Site of injury	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	142	-	88	-	294	-	264	-	77	-	40	-	16	-	921	-
Neck.....	14	-	115	-	30	-	47	-	20	-	13	-	19	-	258	-
Trunk.....	121	-	239	-	412	-	835	-	254	-	184	-	157	-	2,202	-
Upper limbs.....	473	-	251	-	990	-	853	-	324	-	132	-	80	-	3,103	-
Lower limbs.....	125	-	293	-	346	-	466	-	699	-	72	-	79	-	2,080	-
Multiple locations..	12	-	76	3	19	-	14	1	37	3	14	-	1	-	173	7
General locations...	-	-	4	-	11	-	20	1	3	-	3	-	1	1	42	2
All sites.....	887	-	1,066	3	2,102	-	2,499	2	1,414	3	458	-	353	1	8,779	9

TABLE 14 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Site of injury	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	42	-	71	-	590	-	2	-	2	-	40	-
Neck.....	28	-	9	-	19	-	2	-	118	-	2	-
Trunk.....	368	-	41	-	120	-	13	-	1,573	-	10	-
Upper limbs.....	363	-	212	-	1,299	-	450	-	550	-	102	-
Lower limbs.....	879	-	315	-	465	-	71	-	192	-	69	-
Multiple locations..	58	-	9	4	30	-	4	-	7	-	6	-
General locations...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	-
All sites.....	1,738	-	657	4	2,523	-	542	-	2,444	1	231	-

TABLE 14 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84-Continued

Persons

Site of injury	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	1	-	118	-	8	-	47	-	921	-
Neck.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	79	-	258	-
Trunk.....	-	-	2	-	1	-	74	-	2,202	-
Upper limbs.....	3	-	58	-	2	-	64	-	3,103	-
Lower limbs.....	1	-	16	-	-	-	72	-	2,080	-
Multiple locations..	-	-	6	-	1	-	52	3	173	7
General locations...	5	-	28	1	-	-	5	-	42	2
All sites.....	10	-	229	1	12	-	393	3	8,779	9

TABLE 15 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUP
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Age group (years)	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Under 20.....	122	-	113	-	312	-	313	-	156	-	42	-	26	-	1,084	-
20 - 24.....	190	-	220	-	486	-	533	-	260	-	98	-	50	-	1,837	-
25 - 29.....	153	-	143	-	279	-	382	-	214	-	68	-	58	-	1,297	-
30 - 34.....	117	-	137	-	249	-	280	-	174	-	45	-	38	-	1,040	-
35 - 39.....	82	-	97	-	183	-	250	1	158	1	61	-	40	1	871	3
40 - 44.....	65	-	105	-	163	-	205	-	117	1	61	-	38	-	754	1
45 - 49.....	42	-	72	-	140	-	155	-	98	-	30	-	25	-	562	-
50 - 54.....	47	-	72	-	115	-	151	1	110	-	24	-	32	-	551	1
55 - 59.....	30	-	62	1	84	-	112	-	70	-	15	-	23	-	396	1
60 - 64.....	10	-	24	1	37	-	53	-	28	1	9	-	6	-	167	2
65 & over.....	1	-	3	-	1	-	4	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
Age not stated.....	28	-	18	1	53	-	61	-	26	-	5	-	17	-	208	1
All age groups.	887	-	1,066	3	2,102	-	2,499	2	1,414	3	458	-	353	1	8,779	9

TABLE 16 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY OCCUPATION GROUP
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1983-84

Persons

Occupation group	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Professional, technical & related workers.....	6	-	52	-	62	-	33	-	78	-	105	-	37	-	373	-
Administrative, executive & managerial workers.....	2	-	16	-	11	-	22	-	9	-	3	-	1	-	64	-
Clerical workers.....	2	-	36	-	44	-	36	-	40	-	3	-	12	-	173	-
Sales workers.....	10	-	39	-	65	-	77	-	51	-	4	-	11	-	257	-
Farmers, fishermen, timber getters & related workers....	106	-	114	-	174	-	167	1	196	2	67	-	34	-	858	3
Miners, quarrymen and related workers.....	151	-	44	1	114	-	150	1	141	-	7	-	16	-	623	2
Workers in transport & communications occupations..	19	-	163	1	67	-	162	-	65	-	10	-	21	-	507	1
Tradesmen, production-process workers & labourers n.e.c....	545	-	502	-	1,386	-	1,649	-	650	1	88	-	163	1	4,983	2
Service, sport and recreation workers.....	46	-	100	1	179	-	203	-	184	-	171	-	58	-	941	1
All occupations.....	887	-	1,066	3	2,102	-	2,499	2	1,414	3	458	-	353	1	8,779	9

TABLE 17 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : DURATION OF LEAVE BY SEX
BY EXTENT OF DISABILITY BY NUMBER AND DURATION OF LEAVE 1983-84

Duration of leave (a)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Extent of disability											
	Temporary		Permanent partial		Temporary		Permanent partial		Temporary		Permanent partial	
	Number	Duration of leave (days)	Number	Duration of leave (days)	Number	Duration of leave (days)	Number	Duration of leave (days)	Number	Duration of leave (days)	Number	Duration of leave (days)
1 day but under 1 week.....	3,720	12,416	7	19	648	2,034	1	4	4,368	14,450	8	23
1 week but under 2 weeks.....	1,713	16,513	1	12	290	2,793	-	-	2,003	19,306	1	12
2 weeks but under 4 weeks.....	1,050	19,898	5	106	160	3,063	1	27	1,210	22,961	6	133
4 weeks but under 6 weeks.....	342	11,539	7	236	73	2,501	-	-	415	14,040	7	236
6 weeks but under 8 weeks.....	191	9,025	3	132	31	1,498	-	-	222	10,523	3	132
8 weeks but under 13 weeks.....	221	15,432	7	546	41	2,808	-	-	262	18,240	7	546
13 weeks but under 26 weeks...	124	15,820	13	1,589	18	2,308	-	-	142	18,128	13	1,589
26 weeks but under 52 weeks...	31	7,283	11	2,692	9	2,231	2	500	40	9,514	13	3,192
52 weeks but under 104 weeks...	24	11,040	6	2,823	7	3,343	-	-	31	14,383	6	2,823
104 weeks but under 156 weeks..	-	-	2	1,510	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1,510
156 weeks and more.....	-	-	1	1,179	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1,179
Total.....	7,417	118,966	63	10,844	1,277	22,579	4	531	8,694	141,545	67	11,375

(a) Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

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